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DISCOMFORT OF THE MAMMALIAN INTESTINAL AND GENITO-
URINARY TRACTS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(A))

Applicants in the above-identified application hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to and including July 30, 2004 for responding to the Office Action mailed March 30, 2004. A response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

A check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed herewith.

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